

January 24, 1956

Mr. Theron Ashcroft
Coal Creek Water Commissioner
Cedar City, Utah

Dear Mr. Ashcroft:

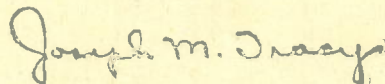
RE: COAL CREEK DISTRIBUTION.

In accord with a resolution made at a recent meeting of the Coal Creek Water Users Association, and after a very careful study and consideration of the many factors involved, we request that you make distribution of water from Coal Creek from now until the beginning of the irrigation season in the following amounts to the following users: to Old Fort and Old Field 0.5 sec.-ft.; to South and West Field 0.5 sec.-ft.; to the Hunter Ditch 0.5 sec.-ft.; to Northwest Field 1.0 sec.-ft.; to Union Field 1.0 sec.-ft.; and to North Field and East Extension 1.5 sec.-ft.; and, in extremely cold weather you are authorized to increase up to not to exceed fifty per cent the amounts so listed. If the flow of Coal Creek becomes less than 5.0 sec.-ft., the amounts above listed shall be prorated; and all amounts in excess of 5.0 sec.-ft., except in the extremely cold periods, shall be distributed to Coal Creek Irrigation Company.

And we would request that you direct Coal Creek Irrigation Company to advise you as to the use to which all water delivered to them is put, naming with particularity the number of acres irrigated and their location. To the extent that you can reasonably do so, we would appreciate your viewing this irrigation and giving us your confidential report with respect thereto.

We sincerely hope and trust that the above will be of some assistance to you, and we shall look forward to hearing from you.

Yours truly,



Joseph M. Tracy
STATE ENGINEER.

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